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Applicants:

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Title:

METHOD OF TUCKING

REFASTENABLE SIDE SEAMS

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed 16 July 2003, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.

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